

REMARKS

Claims 2-5 and 7-11 are pending in the present application and have been examined. Claims 2 and 7 have been amended. Claim 6 has been cancelled. Reconsideration of the application in light of the above amendments and below remarks is respectfully requested.

Applicants wish to thank the Examiner for the indication that claims 3 and 6-11 would be allowable if rewritten in independent form including all of the limitations of the base claim and any intervening claims. Accordingly, claim 2 has been amended to include the features of allowable claim 6. In addition, claim 7 has been amended to depend from claim 2. It is therefore respectfully submitted that claims 2-5 and 7-11 are in condition for allowance.

In view of the amendments herein, all prior art rejections have been rendered moot.

Applicants believe the pending application is in condition for allowance.

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